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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)
(Small Entity)Docket No.
133697-0017

In Re Application Of: Guorong XU et al.

Application No.	Filing Date	Examiner	Customer No.	Group Art Unit	Confirmation No.
10/614,536	July 7, 2003	Arun Phasge	35684	1753	9035

Invention: EDI MODULE WITH STABILIZING DC CURRENT

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of March 24, 2006 in the above-identified application.

Date

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

☒ One month ☐ Two months ☐ Three months ☐ Four months ☐ Five months

from: June 24, 2006 until: July 24, 2006

Date *Date*

☒ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$)

\$60.00

Complete if Known

Application Number 10/614,536
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1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES

Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		Fees Paid(\$)
	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES

Fee Description	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)
Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)	50	25
Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)	200	100
Multiple dependent claims	360	180
Multiple Dependent Claims		
Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)	

Total Claims - 20 or HP = _____ x \$25.00 = \$0.00
 HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20.

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Total Sheets - 100 = 0 / 50 0 (round up to a whole) x \$125.00 = \$0.00

4. OTHER FEE(S)

Non-English specification, \$130 fee (no small entity discount)

Other (e.g., late filing surcharge): One Month Extension of Time

\$60.00

SUBMITTED BY

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